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                  UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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                CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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   DANA BAKER,
                                      No. ED CV 10-00762-JHN (VBK)
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                  Petitioner,
                                      ORDER (1) ACCEPTING AND ADOPTING
                                      THE REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION OF
                                      THE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE
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        v.
                                      JUDGE, AND (2) DISMISSING THE
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   BOARD OF PAROLE HEARINGS,
                                      PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS
   et al.,
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             Respondents.
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         Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §636, the Court has made a de novo review
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   of the Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus ("Petition"), Respondent's
   Answer, Petitioner's Reply, all of the records herein and the Report
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   and Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge ("Report").
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IT IS ORDERED that: (1) the Court accepts and adopts the Report and Recommendation, (2) the Court declines to issue a Certificate of Appealability ("COA"); and (3) Judgment be entered denying and dismissing the Petition with prejudice and denying all of Petitioner's other pending motions or requests as moot.

JACQUELINE H. NGUYEN

TED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

DATED: <u>March 15, 2011</u>

Under 28 U.S.C. §2253(c)(2), a COA may issue "only if the applicant has made a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right." The Supreme Court has held that, to obtain a Certificate of Appealability under §2253(c), a habeas petitioner must show that "reasonable jurists could debate whether (or, for that matter, agree that) the petition should have been resolved in a different manner or that the issues presented were 'adequate to deserve encouragement to proceed further'." Slack v. McDaniel, 529 U.S. 473, 483-84, 120 S.Ct. 1595 (2000)(internal quotation marks omitted); see also Miller-El v. Cockrell, 537 U.S. 322, 336, 123 S.Ct. 1029 (2003). After review of Petitioner's contentions herein, this Court concludes that Petitioner has not made a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right, as is required to support the issuance of a COA.